

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK  
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HENRY PLATSKY,  
                    plaintiff

v.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,  
                    defendants

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COMPLAINT OF VIOLATION  
OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION  
ACT

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1. Parties:

I am Henry Platsky the plaintiff in the above action and I reside at 174 Avenue A, aptment 1D, New York, New York, 10009. I lived at this address at the time of the events complained of.

The defendants, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, are the nation's law enforcement agency and are an arm of the United States Department of Justice. They are located at 935 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, D.C., 20535

2. Jurisdiction:

Jurisdiction of this court is invoked pursuant to 5 United States Code 552, The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

3. History of FOIA Request:

In a letter dated July 17, 2018, I submitted an FOIA request to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) seeking to know if my name was present on any Watch Lists used in a meeting between representatives of the FBI and what

were then three New York City emergency services: the New York Police Department (NYPD), the Fire Department of New York (FDNY), and the Emergency Medical Services (EMS which later merged with the FDNY). The meeting which took place in the run up to the first Gulf War, sometime in 1990, sought to form a Joint Terrorism Task Force between the FBI and the three emergency services. It was around that time that employees of all three services began to determindly tailor their movements to my own. Apparently the FBI gave representatives of the three services a Watch-List which included my name.

In my initial FOIA request I mentioned the above facts in my request to the FBI but in response the FBI diverted me to the National Archives & Records Administration (NARA) and when this failed to provide me with the information that I was seeking I returned to FBI with a letter dated October 7, 2018 and clarified my request which brought me a denial of my request, dated Oct. 31, 2018, from David Hardy representing the FBI. These two latter letters are attached to this complaint. In a letter to the FBI from January 15th, 2019 (mis-dated 2018 on the letter) I appealed the FBI's denial of my request. Mysteriously although the cover mailing to the FBI's appeal denial lists a date of February 5 of 2019 the date that it was actually emailed to me is July 25th of 2009. My appeal letter, the FBI's denial and the cover letter just mentioned are all attached.

#### 4. My Appeal and the FBI Denial

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In my appeal of the FBI's denial of my FOIA request I focused on the denial of due process that I suffered in being placed on one of the FBI's Watch-lists. (My appeal was written in January of 2019 and in September of that year Judge Trenga of the ~~US~~ Court of the Eastern District of Virginia found the FBI's Watch-list were unconstitutional due to the denial of due process accorded citizens place on the lists).

In its denial of my appeal the FBI's representative cited the sections of the FOIA that allowed agencies to withhold information that would disclose techniques, procedures or guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions. As anyone can read from my request I had no interest in the FBI's investigative activities. Further as my request concerned information compiled over 25 years before that information can no longer be classified according to Executive Order # 13526, Section 1.5(b).

##### 5. The Watch-lists Are Unconstitutional:

In *Elhady, et. al., v. Kable* (Director of the Terrorits Screening Center), 1:16cv375, Judge Anthony J. Trenga of the United States Court of the Eastern District of Virginia ruled that the FBI's Watch-lists are unconstitutional. In the words of Judge Trenga "...there are 'basic requirements' that procedural due process, in each instance demands, including notice and a meaningful opportunity to be heard." (page 17).

With this ruling the FBI loses the legal right to classify any information on its' Watch-lists, this according to Section 1.7 of Executive Order #13526.

With this ruling I believe the FBI should be required to inform every citizen whose name appears on the Watch-lists of that fact and allow them the right to recover due process and challenge their placement on the Watch-lists and wherever the FBI cannot justify such placement have their names removed and recover damages for any injury they suffered as a result of their placement.

6. ~~Some~~ History Between Myself and the FBI

Via the FOIA I was able to obtain a file that the FBI kept on me between 1965 and 1971. The file concerned my relationship with the Marxist-Leninist Workers World Party and it showed that the FBI had an intensive interest in my activities with Workers World (WWP): the file cited every meeting that I had attended in the New York City branch of the WWP stretching some 5 years; the file also noted every demonstration and public gathering that I attended in that same period. I should make clear that I was not a leader of the WWP, just a loyal rank-and-file member.

The file went on for close to 200 pages. The FBI could not have amassed such detailed information on my activities with the WWP

without having at least one agent or informant within the organization thus violating the right of all of those associated with the WWP their constitutionally guaranteed right to speak, publish (their twice-monthly Workers World paper plus an occasional book), and assemble free of government interference.

With its' tight surveillance of WWP activities it is beyond any doubt that the WWP was targeted by the FBI in its' Counter-Intelligence Program (COINTELPRO). When political activists burglarized a local FBI office, and finding evidence of COINTELPRO distributed it to the media. With the resulting uproar in 1971 the FBI declared the COINTELPRO operation disbanded. Despite this declaration by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover a file released to me via the FOIA concerning a Marxist-Trotskyist organization called the Class Struggle League showed the FBI maintaining a tight surveillance on the organization during the years 1973-75.\*

It is important to remember that no one in the FBI was held accountable for their illegal actions; there were no arrests of  
 \* In 1976 the Select Committee to Study Government Operations With Respect to Intelligence Activities headed by Senator Frank Church investigated the COINTELPRO program and other similar programs operated by the CIA and the Department of Defense. In its final report the Committee found that the activities of the FBI infringed on the constitutional rights of citizens. Legal questions were often "not considered" and "...on other occasions they were intentionally disregarded..." The Committee found: "...the most serious breaches were those of senior officials.... the Bureau conducted a sophisticated vigilante operation aimed squarely at preventing the exercise of First Amendment rights..."

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any form of punishment for the lawbreakers of the FBI. Thus when President Reagan reintroduced domestic surveillance in 1986 the COINTELPRO spirit was alive and well within the FBI.

It was about this time that I began to experience strange and disturbing incidents in my life. When these incidents escalated in intensity I filed a complaint against the FBI in the U.S. Court of the Eastern District of New York (Platsky v. FBI, 90-CV-1915. A companion case against the CIA was introduced at the same time; 90-CV-1916. The Defense Intelligence Agency was also named as a defendant. With the National Security Agency added as defendants a consolidated case, 90-CV-2313, was created). Within days of the first complaints being submitted the harassment against me escalated exponentially. By far the worst of this came from the management of the resident hotel I was living in in Downtown Brooklyn. When I faced violence and threats from the management and staff I turned to the police of the local 84th Precinct and the New York State Agency charged with protecting tenants rights. They either turned a blind eye or actively aided the harassment. This resulted in my complaint Platsky v. Kilpatrick, 91-CV-3292, which accused the hotel management of violating my civil rights and the government agencies with being in position to protect my rights but failing to do so.

Although every word in the above cited cases was true all of them were dismissed by the court and these dismissals were upheld on appeal with the Court of Appeals for the 2nd Circuit.

Later in 1990 with the run-up to the First Gulf War (Desert Storm) the FBI came to New York City and met with three emergency service agencies; the New York Police Department (NYPD), the Fire Department of New York (FDNY), and the Emergency Medical Service (EMS which later merged with the FDNY). Together they formed a Joint Terrorist Task Force and it was about this time that personnel from these agencies intruded into my life.

In the most ominous incident sometime in early 1992 I was walking down Flatbush Avenue near the Atlantic Avenue station of the Long Island Railroad. Some sort of intuition told me to turn around and look behind me to see a police cruiser on the sidewalk headed towards me. I stepped to the side and the vehicle rode past me and stopped by the LIRR entrance. With the vehicle still on the sidewalk the officers, at least four, disgorged into the station as if responding to an emergency. I was able to pass the vehicle and get its identifying number and report the incident to the Civilian Complaint Review Board (CCRB) the agency that deals with misconduct and abuse by the NYPD. Following this complaint a representative of the Internal Affairs Division of the NYPD called me to discuss the incident. He told me that police records showed there was no emergency at the LIRR on that day. He further stated that the vehicle involved was not logged out at that time of day. Thus there was no record of who was in the vehicle at that time. (the CCRB now claims that they have no record of this complaint. Apparently this incident was expunged from their records).

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In Platsky v. Armand, et. al (93-CV-5154) I described the role of the NYPD as follows:

"Numerous members of the New York Police Department along with members of other police units (e.g., New York City Transit Police) along with employees of other emergency services (Fire, EMS) along with countless private individuals make up the network that creates and sustains this campaign of harassment...The actions complained of in this complaint...first began after plaintiff filed a complaint against the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Members of the New York City Police Department and the New York City Fire Department began ostentatiously monitoring the plaintiff's activities and harassing the plaintiff following the setting up of an inter-departmental communications system under the leadership of the Federal Bureau of Investigation."

Here I am describing the defendant's reestablishing its' vigilante network ~~linking~~ it up to the emergency services with their ability to monitor and report a persons' movements. The presiding judge in this case, I. Leo Glasser of the Court of the Eastern District of New York, decided to excercise some amateur psychology and declared me delusional and dismissed the complaint sua sponte. Judge Glasser's opinion notwithstanding every word of the complaint was true and most of the allegations remain true over a quarter of a century later. As evidence I am attaching several complaints to the CCRB and the FDNY concerning harassment and menacing by police and EMS personnel.

## 7. Conclusion

I have shown the court that I was involved with organizations targeted by the original COINTELPRO program run by the FBI. I have



shown that as a result the FBI created a massive file on me that displayed their concern for my every politically-related movement. I have shown that the FBI continued to monitor the activities of an organization that I had an association with in the mid-70's after the COINTELPRO program was supposedly suspended. I have shown the court that following the reintroduction of domestic surveillance I suffered COINTELPRO-type harassment that moved me to appeal to the courts which resulted in a dramatic escalation of harassment. I have shown the court that following a meeting between the FBI and the NYPD, FDNY and the EMS personnel from these three agencies began to interfere in my activities. I have shown the court that COINTELPRO style harassment continues to dog my life. Finally I want to remind the court of the decision in Elhady v. Kable which found the FBI's Watch-lists unconstitutional due to its failure to provide people placed on the list with their right to due process.

In light of these facts I ask the court to:

-allow all citizens the right, via the FOIA, to determine whether their names are to be found on any of the FBI's Watch-lists.

-order the FBI to acknowledge my placement on their Watch-lists; to inform me of all government and private persons and organizations that have been given Watch-lists with my name on them; to remove my name from all such Watch-lists and to inform all such government and private organizations and individuals that my name was placed there in error.

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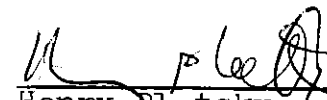
-order the FBI to negotiate with me all damages both compensatory and punitive that are due me in light of my erroneous placement on their Watch-lists,,

and any further relief the court deems appropriate..

I do solemnly swear that the facts stated in this complaint are true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

January 21, 2020  
New York, New York

  
Henry Platsky  
174 Avenue A, #1D  
New York, New York, 10009

347-835-9117

ATTACHMENTS:

1. My FOIA request, the FBI response, my appeal and the corresponding FBI response (6 pages)
2. 3 complaints to the Civilian Complaint Review Board regarding menacing by police vehicles (all complaints were forwarded to the Office of the Chief of the Department where in all cases no wrongdoing was found). (3 pages)
3. 3 complaints to the Fire Department of New York regarding menacing by Emergency Medical Services ambulances (in all 3 cases the FDNY found no wrongdoing). (6 pages)

To: Director, Information Policy  
U.S. Department of Justice

re: Appeal FOIA request # 1412680-001

I am appealing the denial of the above numbered FOIA request by David H. Hardy of the Information Management Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

If you will refer to my original request you will note that my request concerned the presence of my name on a terrorist-watch list that was brought by the FBI to the New York Police Department (NYPD), the Fire Department of New York (FDNY), and the Emergency Medical Service (EMS) at the meeting that set up a joint terrorism task force between the FBI and the three New York emergency agencies in the run-up to the first Gulf War.

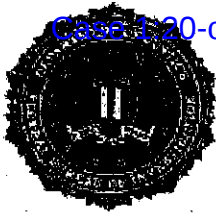
Shortly after this meeting took place personnel from the three emergency agencies began surveilling my movements and engaging in acts of harassment and menacing. This establishes that the FBI did indeed pass my name to these agencies in violation of my constitutional right to due process before being found guilty of a crime. The harassment and surveillance continues to this day.

As the FBI committed a criminal act against me at this meeting none of the information concerning this meeting can legally be classified. I am therefore asking that you overturn Mr. Hardy's decision and release the information concerning my name on this watch list.

Sincerely,

Henry Platsky  
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NY, NY, 10009

h.platsky@yahoo.com



Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

October 31, 2018

MR. HENRY ALLEN PLATSKY  
NUMBER 1D  
174 AVENUE A  
NEW YORK, NY 10009

FOIPA Request No.: 1412680-001  
Subject: PLATSKY, HENRY ALLEN

Dear Mr. Platsky:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request. Below you will find informational paragraphs relevant to your request. Please read each one carefully.

Please be advised that the U.S. Government can neither confirm nor deny whether a particular person is on any terrorist watch list. Maintaining the confidentiality of government watch lists is necessary to achieve the objectives of the U.S. Government, as well as to protect the privacy of individuals who may be on a watch list for a limited time and later removed. If the U.S. Government revealed who was listed on any government watch list, terrorists would be able to take actions to avoid detection by government authorities. Thus, by standard FBI practice and pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and Privacy Act exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (j)(2)], this response neither confirms nor denies the existence of your subject's name on any watch lists.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010)). This response is limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

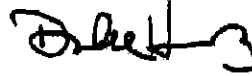
For questions regarding our determinations, visit the [www.fbi.gov/foia](http://www.fbi.gov/foia) website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA online portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://www.foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at 877-684-6448, or by emailing [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov). Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing [foipaquestions@fbi.gov](mailto:foipaquestions@fbi.gov). If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

Enclosed for your information are a copy of the FBI Fact Sheet and the Explanation of Exemptions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hardy", followed by a stylized flourish or number "3".

David M. Hardy  
Section Chief  
Record/Information  
Dissemination Section  
Information Management Division

Enclosures

October 7, 2018

Attn: David M. Hardy, Section Chief  
Record Information Dissemination Section,  
Information Management Division,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Re: FOIA Request# 1412680-000

Dear David Hardy,

I want to remind you of your letter to me of August 6th in response to the above-numbered FOIA request. In your letter you referred me to National Archives & Records Administration (NARA) as a source for records responsive to my request. I have enclosed a copy of a letter Chris Abraham of NARA who informs me that the numbers that you gave me for the records in question refer to records that are not what I am seeking. Therefore I am going to reformulate my request.

Does the FBI have any Watch Lists from the years 1990-1991 that contain my name?

You already have the information necessary to process my request in my original request letter.

Respectfully,

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Re: Appeal No. DOJ-AP-2019-002090  
Request No. 1412680-001  
CDT:RNB

**VIA: Email**

Dear Henry Platsky:

You appealed from the action of Federal Bureau of Investigation on your Freedom of Information Act request for access to records concerning your name on any watch list. I note that your appeal concerns the FBI's refusal to confirm or deny the existence of records responsive to your request.

After carefully considering your appeal, I am affirming the FBI's action on your request. The FBI properly refused to confirm or deny the existence of any records concerning an individual's placement on any government watch list because their existence is protected from disclosure pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552a(j)(2) & 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(7)(E). Exemption 7(E) concerns records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes the release of which would disclose techniques and procedures or guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions. Further, it is reasonably foreseeable that confirming or denying an individual's placement on any government watch list would harm the interests protected by this exemption. See, e.g., Kalu v. IRS, 159 F. Supp. 3d 16, 23 (D.D.C. 2016). This response should not be taken as an indication that records do or do not exist. Rather, this is the standard response made by the FBI.

Please be advised that this Office's decision was made only after a full review of this matter. Your appeal was assigned to an attorney with this Office who thoroughly reviewed and analyzed your appeal, your underlying request, and the action of the FBI in response to your request.

If you are dissatisfied with my action on your appeal, the FOIA permits you to file a lawsuit in federal district court in accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(B).

For your information, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) offers mediation services to resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. Using OGIS services does not affect your right to pursue litigation. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8601 Adelphi Road,



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College Park, Maryland 20740-6001; email at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. If you have any questions regarding the action this Office has taken on your appeal, you may contact this Office's FOIA Public Liaison for your appeal. Specifically, you may speak with the undersigned agency official by calling (202) 514-3642.

Sincerely,

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Christina D. Trolani, Associate Chief, for  
Sean O'Neill, Chief, Administrative Appeals Staff

# Thank You For Filling Out This Form

Shown below is your submission to **NYC.gov** on Friday, October 14, 2016 at 10:41:23

This form resides at <https://www.nyc.gov/html/ccrb/html/complaint/online.shtml>

NAME of FIELDS	DATA
cfirstname:	Henry
clastname:	Platsky
caddr:	174 Avenue A, 1D
ccity:	New York
cstate:	NY
czip:	10009
cbirthmonth:	April
cbirthdate:	1
cbirthyear:	1949
chphone:	347-835-9117
cbphone:	same as above
ccellphone:	same as above
textpermission:	Yes
mobilecarrier:	Alcatel
cemail:	h.platsky@yahoo.com
sex:	Male
orientation:	Heterosexual or straight
crace:	White
witness:	Yes
lmonth:	Oct
ldate:	10
lyear:	2016
ltimehr:	8
ltime:	15
time:	AM
llocation:	7th St. and Ave. A,
lboro:	Manhattan
story:	While crossing south on 7th St at Ave A on my light a patrol car coming north veered toward me as if coming at me and then stopped. I have no doubt the driver saw me. I believe this was intended as intimidation
lsubwit:	Subject
lgender:	Male
lrace:	White
lplcth:	In Uniform
lftcar:	In Car

## Thank You For Filling Out This Form

Shown below is your submission to **NYC.gov** on Thursday, July 24, 2014 at 16:31:49

This form resides at <https://www.nyc.gov/html/ccrb/html/complaint/online.shtml>

NAME of FIELDS	DATA
<b>cfirstname:</b>	Henry
<b>clastname:</b>	Platsky
<b>caddr:</b>	174 Avenue A
<b>ccity:</b>	New York
<b>cstate:</b>	NY
<b>czip:</b>	10009
<b>cbirthmonth:</b>	April
<b>cbirthdate:</b>	1
<b>cbirthyear:</b>	1949
<b>chphone:</b>	347-835-9117
<b>cbphone:</b>	same as above
<b>ccellphone:</b>	same as above
<b>cemailphone:</b>	h.platskyyahoo.com
<b>sex:</b>	Male
<b>crace:</b>	White
<b>witness:</b>	Yes
<b>vcity:</b>	Highland Park
<b>lmonth:</b>	Jul
<b>ldate:</b>	19
<b>lyear:</b>	2014
<b>ltimehr:</b>	2
<b>ltimeemin:</b>	40
<b>ltimeampm:</b>	PM
<b>vcity:</b>	Highland Park
<b>lboro:</b>	Brooklyn
<b>story:</b>	I was walking on a pedestrian path in the park when I became aware of something moving right behind me. I turned to see an NYPD patrol car right behind me on the path. The driver gave me no warning of his approach and he was only a few feet behind me. As I stepped aside to let him pass I noticed that he was an older man, approximately in his 40s, white, with balding hair. This incident repeats a pattern of such incidents that I have been complaining about for several years. The failure to the NYPD to do anything to this discourage this behavior is clearly enabling it.
<b>lsubwit:</b>	Subject
<b>lgender:</b>	Male
<b>lrace:</b>	White
<b>lplcth:</b>	In Uniform
<b>lftcar:</b>	In Car
<b>lcar:</b>	3820
<b>lcarmkd:</b>	Marked
<b>ldescrip:</b>	hair: dark, build: stocky, age: approx. 40
<b>lrole:</b>	Driver of vehicle in question
<b>true/false:</b>	True

## Thank You For Filling Out This Form

Shown below is your submission to **NYC.gov** on Monday, April 14, 2014 at 09:54:03

This form resides at <https://www.nyc.gov/html/ccrb/html/complaint/online.shtml>

NAME of FIELDS	DATA
cfirstname:	Henry
clastname:	Platsky
caddr:	1865 Benson Ave., 155
ccity:	Brooklyn
cstate:	NY
czip:	11214
cbirthmonth:	April
cbirthdate:	1
cbirthyear:	1949
chphone:	347-835-9117
cbphone:	none
ccellphone:	same as above
cemailphone:	h.platskyyahoo.com
sex:	Male
crace:	White
witness:	Yes
vcity:	Franklin Ave Fulton St
lmonth:	Apr
ldate:	10
lyear:	2014
ltimehr:	8
ltimeamin:	48
ltimeampm:	AM
vcity:	Franklin Ave Fulton St
lboro:	Brooklyn
story:	While I was crossing Franklin Ave. moving west on Fulton St. with the light, I noticed an NYPD cruiser moving in the same direction on Fulton St. As I came to the middle of the intersection the cruiser suddenly turned and came towards me. I stopped and let the cruiser pass and I was able to see the identifying number on the cruiser: 8629 (84th pct.) I was not able to clearly see the officer driving. This is the latest in series of similar incidents and up to now the NYPD has refused to investigate any possilbe connection between them.
true/false:	True

**Kugelman, Maura (FDNY)**

**From:** Kordova, Yelena (FDNY)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 09, 2013 10:54 AM  
**To:** McCrorie, Cathy (FDNY); Albanese, Joanne (FDNY)  
**Subject:** 70849 FW: City of New York - Correspondence #1-1-869446563 Message to Agency Head, FDNY - Other Agency Complaint  
70849.pdf  
**Attachments:**

-----Original Message-----  
**From:** [outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov](mailto:outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov) [mailto:[outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov](mailto:outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov)]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 08, 2013 10:29 AM  
**To:** Rivera, Alaida (FDNY); Scott, Angel (FDNY); Kordova, Yelena (FDNY); Clements, Katy (FDNY)  
**Subject:** City of New York - Correspondence #1-1-869446563 Message to Agency Head, FDNY - Other Agency Complaint

Your City of New York - CRM Correspondence Number is 1-1-869446563

DATE RECEIVED: 07/08/2013 10:19:58

DATE DUE: 07/22/2013 10:28:39

SOURCE: 3-1-1 Call Center

RELATED SR# OR CASE#: N/A

EMPLOYEE NAME OR ID#: 293

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 07/06/2013 09:20:43

LANGUAGE NEED:

The e-mail message below was submitted to the City of New York via NYC.gov or the 311 Call Center. It is forwarded to your agency by the 311 Customer Service Center. In accordance with the Citywide Customer Service standard, your response is due in 14 calendar days.

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If this message is to a Commissioner / Agency Head and needs to be re-routed to another agency or cc to another agency, forward the email to [outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov](mailto:outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov). Do not make any changes to the subject line. Include any comments and it will be processed by the 311 Customer Service Center.

All other web forms are to be handled by the receiving agency.

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**Kugelman, Maura (FDNY)**

**From:** Scott, Angel (FDNY)  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 20, 2013 9:11 AM  
**To:** McCrorie, Cathy (FDNY); Albanese, Joanne (FDNY)  
**Subject:** Cr# 70644  
**Attachments:** 70644.pdf

-----Original Message-----  
**From:** [outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov](mailto:outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov) [mailto:[outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov](mailto:outgoingagency@customerservice.nyc.gov)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 18, 2013 10:49 AM

**To:** Rivera, Alaida (FDNY); Scott, Angel (FDNY); Kordova, Yelena (FDNY); Clements, Katy (FDNY)

**Subject:** City of New York - Correspondence #1-1-863372930 Message to Agency Head, FDNY - Employee Complaint

Your City of New York - CRM Correspondence Number is 1-1-863372930

DATE RECEIVED: 06/18/2013 10:26:09

DATE DUE: 07/02/2013 10:48:25

SOURCE: 3-1-1 Call Center

RELATED SR# OR CASE#: N/A

EMPLOYEE NAME OR ID#: N/A

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 06/17/2013 13:55:00

LANGUAGE NEED:

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Message Type:

Topic: Other Agency Complaint

First Name: HENRY

Last Name: PLATSKY

Organization:

Apartment Number:

Street Address: PO BOX 140155

City: BROOKLYN

State: NY

Postal Code: 11214

Country:

Work Phone #: 3478359117

Email Address: H.PLATSKY@YAHOO.COM

Message: I WOULD LIKE KNOW IF THERE WAS A ACTUAL EMERGENCY THAT TOOK PLACE JULY 6, 2013 NEAR FULTON STREET AND THOMES BOYLOND IN BROOKLYN AROUND 9:20AM. IF THERE WAS NOT AN ACTUAL EMERGENCY, I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW THE REASON ON WHY THE AMBULANCE PLACED THERE SIRENS ON.  
THE AMBULANCE CAR NUMBER WAS 293

**Kugelman, Maura (FDNY)**

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**From:** Scott, Angel (FDNY)  
**Sent:** Monday, September 09, 2013 4:03 PM  
**To:** McCrorie, Cathy (FDNY); Albanese, Joanne (FDNY)  
**Subject:** Cr# 71393  
**Attachments:** 71393.pdf

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**Sent:** Tuesday, September 03, 2013 10:57 AM  
**To:** Rivera, Alalda (FDNY); Scott, Angel (FDNY); Kordova, Yelena (FDNY); Clements, Katy (FDNY)  
**Subject:** City of New York - Correspondence #1-1-886646345 Message to Agency Head, FDNY - EMS Operations

Your City of New York - CRM Correspondence Number is 1-1-886646345

DATE RECEIVED: 09/03/2013 10:52:10

DATE DUE: 09/17/2013 10:57:03

SOURCE: 3-1-1 Call Center

RELATED SR# OR CASE#: N/A

EMPLOYEE NAME OR ID#: TRUCK# 208

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 08/30/2013 13:30:04

LANGUAGE NEED:

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Message Type:

Topic: EMS Operations

First Name: HENRY

Last Name: PLATSKY

Organization:

Apartment Number:

Street Address: POBOX 140155

City: BROOKLYN

State: NY

Postal Code: 11214

Country:

Work Phone #: 3478359117

Email Address: H.PLATSKY@YAHOO.COM

Message: I WAS CROSSING THE STREET AT EASTERN PARKWAY AND ROCKAWAY AVE IN BROOKLYN. I HAD THE LIGHT TO CROSS. WHEN I STEPPED OUT AN EMS TRUCK ZOOMED PASS THE LIGHT WITHOUT USING SIRENS. AFTER THE EMS CROSSED THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL THEY CUT ON THE LIGHTS AND SIRENS AND CONTINUED DRIVING. THIS INCIDENT COULD HAVE BEEN FATAL. I WOULD LIKE THIS MATTER INVESTIGATED.

Message Type:

Topic: Employee Complaint

First Name: HENRY

Last Name: PLATSKY

Organization:

Apartment Number: 155

Street Address: 1865 BENSON AVENUE

City: BROOKLYN

State: NY

Postal Code: 11214

Country:

Work Phone #: 3478359117

Email Address: H.PLATSKY@YAHOO.COM

Message: CALLER STATES THIS AMBULANCE AT THIS TIME 1:55PM 6/17/2013, WAS IN TRAFFIC AT 34TH ST AND 2ND AVE IN MANHATTAN, AT THAT TIME THERE WAS NO SIREN ON. THEN SUDDENLY THEY TURNED ON THE SIREN AND CAME OUT OF THE TRAFFIC AND DROVE DOWN THE LANE OF THE TRAFFIC IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION, HE HAD THE LIGHT IN HIS FAVOR AND HE WAS CROSSING THE STREET, FORTUNATELY, HE WAS FAST ENOUGH TO GET OUT OF THE WAY... THIS TYPE OF HARASSMENT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE. THE AMBULANCE IS EMSH 049...PLEASE INVESTIGATE IF THEY WERE REALLY GOING ON AN EMERGENCY ... PLEASE INVESTIGATE.